



October 18, 2020 TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM OUR PASTOR

World Mission Sunday. What does that mean to us? What is our connection to the rest of the world? Fr. Woodrow Pace (Mission Director for our diocese) tells us that “His Holiness reminds us, ‘the call to mission, the invitation to step out of ourselves for love of God and neighbor presents itself as an opportunity for sharing, service and intercessory prayer.’ The richness of World Mission Sunday involves all three.”

Bishop Callahan goes on to speak about World Mission Sunday too. He says “the word-wide pandemic is challenging the mission of the Church in so many ways. Business and travel shutdowns in India are causing hunger, and illnesses are going untreated in rural states. Education in much of Africa has come to a basic standstill crippling forward development.”

It all sounds overwhelming and what could we do about it? There are online resources at www.missio.org/resources. Being aware of the needs of our brothers and sisters in the faith around the world is a start. Praying for them and learning about their situations will help us respond in prayer or support by our use of the World Mission envelopes.

As it is the month of the Rosary perhaps you have seen or heard about the mission rosary by Archbishop Fulton Sheen. The focus of the colors pointed to mission territory and was meant to help us focus on the Gospel being planted there. Each decade has a color. Blue for the Pacific. Green for Africa. Red is the Americas. Yellow is for Asia and the Middle East. White for Europe.

Added to the rosary and to give it a missionary focus the Mission Rosary can also be prayed in a special way, using the “Mission Mysteries” developed by Maryknoll’s mission organization. These mysteries are:

1. The 1st Mission Mystery: The visit of the Magi, the first missionaries (Matthew 2:1,11)
2. The 2nd Mission Mystery: Jesus talks with the Samaritan woman, crossing borders/breaking down boundaries (John 4:28)
3. The 3rd Mission Mystery: Jesus cures the centurion’s servant, acts of healing and service (Luke 7:2)
4. The 4th Mission Mystery: The conversion of Paul, expanding the faith to the Gentiles, the “other,” and thus the world (Acts 9:20)
5. The 5th Mission Mystery: Jesus sends out His disciples, we’re all called to mission (Mark 16:15).

I must admit that I did not know about the “Mission Mysteries”. But that is part of the richness of a devotion and the depth of our practice of the faith. There is always room to grow. Please take the time to learn and pray about the missions this month.

Father John

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturdays ~ 5 PM
Sundays ~ 8 AM & 10 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 5:30 PM
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 AM
First Saturdays 8:00 AM

DAILY ROSARY

Before 8 AM Mass at 7:25 AM

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays ~ 4 PM—4:45 PM
& Following 1st Saturday 8 AM Mass

EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION

First Fridays beginning at 12 Noon
Benediction at 6:00 PM
All other Fridays beginning at 3:00 PM
Benediction at 4:00 PM

Mass Intentions for the week of October 18, 2020

- Sat. Oct. 17 5:00 PM For the repose of the soul of
LaVerne Schaller
- Sun. Oct. 18 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Don Strack
- 10:00 AM For our Parishioners
- Tue. Oct. 20 5:30 PM For the repose of the soul of
Jeri Delgado
- Wed. Oct. 21 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Dennis Schmocker
- Thu. Oct. 22 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Ernie Modjeski
- Fri. Oct. 23 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Art Vinopal
- Sat. Oct. 24 5:00 PM For the Deceased Members of
the Howard Rose Family
- Sun. Oct. 25 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of
Don Cafferty
- 10:00 AM For our Parishioners

Pray for the health of Max Teumer, Ben Reynebeau, Julie (Watry) Stoner, Rosemary Lehnen, Vivian G., Russell Fairchild, Deb Beyer, Diana Hunt, Jessie Norton, Tricia Demmin, Joe Dolphin, Mary Ann Witcraft, Bill Chase, Kiley Hackel, Shari Randall, Helen Eucolono, Ethel Passer, Sid Mead, Steve, Marie Hersil, Becky Fredrickson, Mary W., Bob W., Therese, Mary Sauer, Pete Ruland, Audrey Gillen, Rita Kueppers, Cindy Mueller, Lucille Ryczek, George Gabay, Jim Smith, Sadie Ravenscroft, Anne Nancolas, Rosemary Wier, RM, Floyd Babcock, Payton, Veronica, Kathryn Doughty, Patricia, the Moore Family, JM, Carl Wier, Carole Hayes, Tillie Schumacher, Ralph Hamm, Millie Hovde, Bill Eisch, Mary Lechleiter, Bernadine Seitz, Marie Boehm, Marsha Hamil., MMB, AAB, EMM and Brenna.

Pray for those in the military serving our country: Jason Witkowiak, John Miller, Tera Walsh, Casey Chamberlain, Chris Dvorak, Paul Knudtson, Jon Taylor, Jessica Burch, Mandy Gardner, Aaron Hoogland, Janie Asberry, Jessica Tremain, Andrei Klika-Sampe, Zachary Bader, Will Post, Adam Field and Bailey Granger.

If someone you know becomes hospitalized and would like a visit, please call Cassandra at the church office. To be included on the prayer line or to be listed in the bulletin prayer list, you may also call the church office at 847-6054.

October is the month of the Rosary. Tune into our Parish facebook page on Thursdays at 2pm to say the rosary live. Or better yet, come in person! We will be saying the rosary weekly on Thursdays at 2pm, for a safe, healthy, happy school year for all of our children, staff, and parents in our Parish Family. Please pray with us!

Eternal Rest, Grant Unto Her, O Lord. We offer our prayers and condolences to the family and friends of Ruth Penzkover who passed away this week. May perpetual light shine upon her.

Stewardship Corner ~ October 10th & 11th, 2020
(521 Registered Families)

	WKLY BUDGETED	ACTUAL
Adult Envelopes	\$12,868.42	\$ 2,139.00
On-Line Giving		5,127.00
Children's Envelopes	15.67	0.00
Loose Offering	688.68	238.00
Total Weekly Offering:	\$13,572.77	\$ 7,504.00
Budget Contingency Fund		\$ 40.00
Year-to-date* budget requirement		\$217,164.32
Year-to-date amount contributed		\$133,215.43

*Fiscal Year July 1, 2020 to current date

We ask you to join us in praying sincerely for guidance and success in helping to meet the temporal needs of our Church so that we can carry on our spiritual mission.

Weekly Calendar

Tuesday	Oct. 20	7:00 PM	KC Meeting—RH
Thursday	Oct. 22	2:00 PM	Rosary Makers—RH

Banns of Marriage

October 24 David Bellows & Crystal Butterfield

2021 Stewardship Pledge Cards ~ Thank you to the 126 families who have already returned their pledge cards. We have a total of \$236,654.00 pledged for 2021.

If you have not taken the opportunity to respond to our Stewardship Drive yet, we ask that you do so. Please take the time to prayerfully consider how you can support our parish and it's many missions and return your card as soon as you are able. This will help us to plan for 2021. Thank you!

Knights of Columbus Meeting—Tuesday, October 20th at 7 PM in Reardon Hall. All men are invited to be a part of the Knights of Columbus.

Pro-Life Rosaries with the Bishops of Wisconsin: Beginning Oct. 4 with Bishop William Patrick Callahan, join each of our five Wisconsin Bishops for a live-streamed Pro-Life Rosary from 7:30-8:00 PM on five consecutive Sundays. October is both Respect Life Month and the Month of the Holy Rosary, making it a providential time to pray with our Bishops to our Blessed Mother, Patroness of the Unborn, for an end to abortion and other offenses against human life and dignity. The closing Rosary will be led by Archbishop Jerome Listecky on Nov. 1, the Feast of All Saints, concluding with their invocation through the Litany of the Saints. For more details on this statewide pro-life prayer initiative, [visit dioc.org/live](http://visit.dioc.org/live). May God's grace be poured out upon our state, our nation, and our world. Schedule of Pro-Life Rosaries Sundays, 7:30-8:00 PM

Oct. 18 – Bishop David Laurin Ricken, Diocese of Green Bay
Oct. 25 – Bishop James Patrick Powers, Diocese of Superior
Nov. 1 – Archbishop Jerome Edward Listecky

**If you tuned in last Sunday, you saw that the live broadcast of the rosary was not working. Please be assured that the "glitch" is now fixed. We will be taking steps to ensure this does not recur, This Sunday's 7:30 PM Pro-Life Rosary with Bishop Ricken of Green Bay will be streamed!

FALL FESTIVAL SILENT (ON-LINE) AUCTION

We hope to have our silent (on-line) auction up and running very shortly. We have many, many, many wonderful items as well as many certificates for various businesses. **We will be emailing out a link for the on-line auction. If we don't have your email address, please contact the rectory and let us know what it is. Thank you!**

HIS CHURCH IS YOU AND ME: Our Diocesan Annual Appeal 2020-2021 has started. Every parish family should have received information regarding the appeal in the mail. Please take some time to read through the appeal information and make a pledge to this year's campaign. Your pledge along with the pledges of parishioners all over the diocese support 38 missions which serve our brothers and sisters both locally and internationally. Our parish goal for this year is: **\$41,710.**

**EVERY HUMAN HEART AWAITS
THIS GOOD NEWS. IT IS,
'THE CONTAGION OF HOPE.'**

POPE FRANCIS EASTER 2020

World Mission Sunday ~ THIS WEEKEND we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in the envelope collection held this weekend for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. May God receive your gift, multiply the good it may accomplish and reward your sacrifice of faith.



EMAIL ADDRESSES:

We are emailing out our school newsletter (the Shamrock) as well as our RE Youth Newsletter to parishioners on the first Friday of every month. If you are not receiving it, we don't have your email address! Please contact the rectory office to have your email address to our list. (Or email: stpatrikparishmauston@gmail.com.)

Also, if you would like to have the bulletin emailed to you each Friday, please let us know.

SCRIP

SCRIP IS AVAILABLE AT THE RECTORY OFFICE . WE ARE IN THE OFFICE MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY FROM 8:30 AM UNTIL 4:00 PM. YOU CAN CALL AHEAD TO ORDER OR JUST STOP BY. THANK YOU FOR USING SCRIP TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL!

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PICK OF THE WEEK ~ POPE JOHN PAUL II ~ This epic film follows Karol Wojtyla's journey from his youth in Poland through his late days on the Chair of St. Peter. It explores his life behind the scenes: how he touched millions of people, changed the face of the Church and the world, and how he defended the dignity of mankind.

You can watch with your free parish subscription by simply selecting our parish's name during registration at formed.org/signup.

Voter Guides and Candidate Comparisons - For purposes of voter education, there are many voter guides and candidate comparisons that can be consulted. In the sampling below, the first two links are from explicitly Christian organizations and the second two are from secular sources. Many more can be accessed through a simple Internet search.

- ivoterguide.com
- prayvotestand.org/guides
- knowyourvote.io
- votesmart.org

Deepening our friendship with Jesus is most needed during these challenging times! Our relationship with Jesus is essential to live a life with peace, joy and fulfillment. The following explanation about the *Sign of the Cross* helps us become more aware of the meaning of the words and the gesture, so that we pray from our heart.

Praying The Sign of the Cross: "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen."

- As Catholics, we always begin and end our prayer with the *Sign of the Cross*, which is a prayer – not just an introduction. When we make the *Sign of the Cross*, we want to become more aware of how much God loves us, by being mindful that we are "Crossing" ourselves as a reminder that Jesus died on the Cross for our sins.
- Each time that we make the *Sign of the Cross* and pray the words, we give praise to the three Persons of the Blessed Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
- In the words of the *Sign of the Cross*, we are praying in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. The words "In the name of" are synonymous with "in the Person of". We are placing ourselves under the power and authority of the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, which means we are calling upon the power of the name of God. It is essential to know that the prayer, the *Sign of the Cross*, is not complete when leaving out the words "In the name of."
- "Christians are baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit: not in their names, for there is only one God, the almighty Father, His only Son and the Holy Spirit: The Most Holy Trinity." (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, paragraph 233)

For further explanation of this important prayer, go to diolc.org/deeper. Scroll to "Sign of the Cross." A simple, downloadable Prayer Card with the *Sign of the Cross* and related prayer, *Glory Be to the Father*...is also available.

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